

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

THOMAS W. CURTIS,

Case No.: 2:20-cv-02132-APG-EJY

Plaintiff

V.

**PROTECTIVE FORCE INTERNATIONAL
INC.,**

[ECF No. 5]

Defendant

Order Accepting Report and Recommendation and Dismissing Case Without Prejudice

On June 2, 2021, Magistrate Judge Youchah recommended that I dismiss this case

10 without prejudice because plaintiff Thomas Curtis failed to pay the filing fee or submit an *in
11 forma pauperis* application as ordered. ECF No. 5. Curtis did not object. Thus, I am not
12 obligated to conduct a de novo review of the report and recommendation. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)
13 (requiring district courts to “make a de novo determination of those portions of the report or
14 specified proposed findings to which objection is made”); *United States v. Reyna-Tapia*, 328
15 F.3d 1114, 1121 (9th Cir. 2003) (en banc) (“the district judge must review the magistrate judge’s
16 findings and recommendations de novo *if objection is made*, but not otherwise” (emphasis in
17 original)).

18 Further, the report and recommendation was returned in the mail and Curtis has not
19 updated his address. Under Local Rule IA 3-1, a pro se party must immediately provide the
20 court with written notice of a change of address. Failure to comply with the rule may result in
21 dismissal of the case. LR IA 3-1.

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1 I THEREFORE ORDER that Magistrate Judge Youshah's report and recommendation
2 (**ECF No. 5**) is accepted and plaintiff Thomas Curtis's complaint (ECF No. 1-1) is DISMISSED
3 without prejudice. The clerk of court is instructed to close this case.

4 DATED this 29th day of June, 2021.

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6 ANDREW P. GORDON
7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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